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<b>Application Type</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>FILING FEES</b>	<b>SEARCH FEES</b>	<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>	<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>		
		<b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b>			
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
<b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>							
					<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
<b>Fee Description</b>							
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)						50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
<b>Total Claims</b>		<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>		
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In re Patent Application of:  
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Application No.: 10/624,803

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Art Unit: 2655

For: OPTICAL PICKUP WITH DUAL FOCAL  
LENGTH

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

There are no amendments to the specification or drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10.

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